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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Spitale et al. )  
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For: METHOD OF TUFTING )  
BRISTLES AND BRUSH USING )  
THE SAME )  
Group Art Unit: 1744 )  
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**STATUS INQUIRY**

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Sir:

Please advise when an official action can be expected in the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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